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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 5**

**46TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2004**

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**A JOINT RESOLUTION**

**PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 12, SECTION 11 OF THE  
CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NEW MEXICO  
SCHOOL FOR THE VISUALLY HANDICAPPED TO THE NEW MEXICO SCHOOL  
FOR THE BLIND AND VISUALLY IMPAIRED.**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:**

**Section 1. It is proposed to amend Article 12, Section 11  
of the constitution of New Mexico to read:**

**"The university of New Mexico, at Albuquerque; the New  
Mexico state university, near Las Cruces, formerly known as New  
Mexico college of agriculture and mechanic arts; the New Mexico  
highlands university, at Las Vegas, formerly known as New  
Mexico normal university; the western New Mexico university, at  
Silver City, formerly known as New Mexico western college and  
New Mexico normal school; the eastern New Mexico university, at**

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1 Portales, formerly known as eastern New Mexico normal school;  
2 the New Mexico institute of mining and technology, at Socorro,  
3 formerly known as New Mexico school of mines; the New Mexico  
4 military institute, at Roswell, formerly known as New Mexico  
5 military institute; the New Mexico school for the blind and  
6 visually [~~handi~~eapped] impaired, at Alamogordo, formerly known  
7 as New Mexico [~~institute~~] school for the [~~blind~~] visually  
8 handicapped; the New Mexico school for the deaf, at Santa Fe,  
9 formerly known as New Mexico asylum for the deaf and dumb; the  
10 northern New Mexico state school, at El Rito, formerly known as  
11 Spanish-American school; are hereby confirmed as state  
12 educational institutions. All lands, together with the natural  
13 products thereof and the money proceeds of any of the lands and  
14 products, held in trust for the institutions, respectively,  
15 under their former names, and all properties heretofore granted  
16 to, or owned by, or which may hereafter be granted or conveyed  
17 to, the institutions respectively, under their former names,  
18 shall, in like manner as heretofore, be held in trust for, or  
19 owned by or be considered granted to, the institutions  
20 individually under their names as hereinabove adopted and  
21 confirmed. The appropriations made and which may hereafter be  
22 made to the state by the United States for agriculture and  
23 mechanical colleges and experiment stations in connection  
24 therewith shall be paid to the New Mexico state university,  
25 formerly known as New Mexico college of agriculture and

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1 mechanic arts. "

2 Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution  
3 shall be submitted to the people for their approval or  
4 rejection at the next general election or at any special  
5 election prior to that date that may be called for that  
6 purpose.

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